

Unit Updates

478th Civil Affairs Battalion (SO)

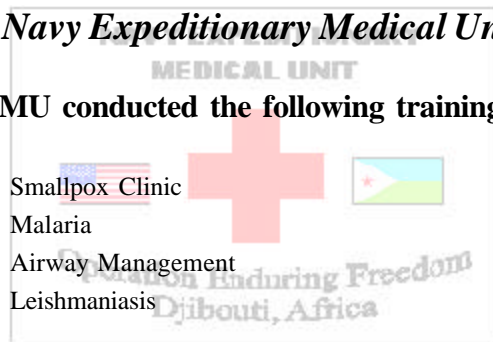
C Company completed the following mission:

- ✓ VETCAP November 11-13 at Dorra, Djibouti. The C Co., 478th Bns Civic Action Team treated a total of 2822 sheep, goats and camels during the mission.

Navy Expeditionary Medical Unit

The EMU conducted the following training:

- ✓ Smallpox Clinic
- ✓ Malaria
- ✓ Airway Management
- ✓ Leishmaniasis

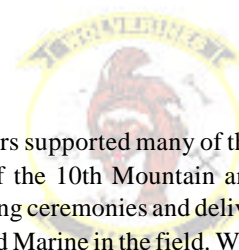


HMH-464 Det A (Rein) "Condors and Wolverines"

The "Condors and Wolverines" conducted the following Flight Training:

- ✓ Desert and mountain flying in the joint environment
- ✓ Night Vision Goggle refueling with the Air Force
- ✓ Area familiarization for commanders completed
- ✓ Long-range supply flight to Hurso, Ethiopia
- ✓ Ramp mounted weapons qualifications
- ✓ Two new section leaders were trained

- ✓ The Condors supported many of the other units here with flights in support of the 10th Mountain and 478th Civil Affairs during a ribbon cutting ceremonies and delivered hot Thanksgiving dinner to soldiers and Marine in the field. We also were responsible for taking the Secretary of the Navy back to the USS Germantown. December promises to be just as demanding for us.



Task Force Betio

Task Force Rawhide conducted the following training:

- ✓ Company Battle Site Zero our weapons
- ✓ Enhanced Marksmanship Program training with .50 Cals
- ✓ Joint shoot with MWSS-273
- ✓ Sniper marksmanship training

Congratulation to the fallowing Marine promoted in November:

Staff Sergeant to Gunnery Sergeant:

Gunnery Sgt. Tuan V. Pham

Sergeant to Staff Sergeant:

Staff Sgt. Chad L Dickinson

Lance Corporal to Corporal:

Cpl. Timohty P. Arnold - Meritorious on Dec. 2
Cpl. Philip P. Keeku - Meritorious on Dec. 2
Cpl. Eric J. Garza

Private First Class to Lance Corporal:

Lance Cpl. Christopher S. Bluthenthal
Lance Cpl. Ryan L. Piche

Events: Staff Sgt. "Chip" Lundgren was beaten by "lovestick" the monkey in the 5th round by TKO. Afterwards they were seen making up behind the Cantina, Budweiser was said to be involved.